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EMPLOYMENT

- 2017 – Present** Associate Professor of History, Stony Brook University
and
Director of the Latin American, Latinx & Caribbean Studies Center (2022-25)
Affiliated Faculty, Department of Women's, Gender & Sexuality Studies
- 2012 - 2017** Assistant Professor, Department of History, Stony Brook University
Affiliated Faculty, Department of Women's, Gender & Sexuality Studies
- 2011 - 2012** Consortium for Faculty Diversity Postdoctoral Fellow, Department of History,
Bowdoin College

EDUCATION

- 2011** Ph.D. in United States History, Stanford University
- 2005** B.A. Cum Laude with Distinction in History, Yale University

PUBLICATIONS

Books

Starved for Respect: The Many Hungers of Latinx Food Workers (University of North Carolina Press, Latinx Histories Series, Fall 2024)

The Academic's Handbook, revised/updated 4th ed, co-edited with Jocelyn Olcott (Duke University Press, 2020)

Grounds for Dreaming: Mexican Americans, Mexican Immigrants, and the California Farmworker Movement (Yale University Press, Lamar Series in Western History, 2016)

*Winner, Best First Book, *Immigration and Ethnic History Society*

*Winner, Best History Book, *International Latino Book Awards*

*Winner, Martin Ridge Award, *Historical Society of Southern California*

*Honorable Mention, Gita Chaudhuri Prize, *Western Association of Women Historians*

*Finalist, Weber-Clements Book Prize, *Western History Association*

Articles in Refereed Journals

"Wreathed in Worry, Pining for Protection: Latino Forestry Workers and Historical Traumas in Maine,"
Journal of American History Vol. 109 No. 4 (March 2023), 828-854.

"The Career of Chef Zarela Martinez and a Changing Mexican Foodscape in New York City, 1981-2011,"
Food, Culture, & Society Vol. 26 (2023), 241-264 (published online on *FC&S* December 2021).

"The Future of Latino San Francisco As Seen Through Murals," *BOOM: A Journal of California* Vol. 6, No. 4
(Winter 2016), 16-27.

*Translated into German [*Technopolis*], translated by Katja Schwaller (Assoziation A, Berlin, 2019).

"Slow and Sudden Deaths: Reflecting on the Chualar Tragedy of 1963 and the Persisting Traumas of the Bracero Program," *Diálogo* Vol. 19 No. 2 (Fall 2016), 79-85.

“A Town Full of Dead Mexicans: The Salinas Valley Bracero Tragedy of 1963, A Collision of Communities, and the End of the Bracero Program,” *Western Historical Quarterly* Vol. 44 No. 2 (Summer 2013), 124-143.

**Winner of the Judith Lee Ridge Prize, Western Association of Women Historians*

**Adopted for high school students and ESL learners by the American Immigration Council*

“An Unladylike Strike Fashionably Clothed: Mexican American and Anglo Women Garment Workers Against ‘Tex-Son, 1959-1963.” *Pacific Historical Review* Vol. 78 No. 3 (August 2009), 367-402.

**Winner of the Jensen-Miller Prize, Western History Association*

**Winner of the W. Turrentine Jackson Prize, Pacific Coast Branch of the American Historical Association*

“A Community of Limits and the Limits of Community: MALDEF’s Chicana Rights Project, Empowering The ‘Typical Chicana’ and the Question of Civil Rights,” *Journal of American Ethnic History* Vol. 27 No. 3 (Spring 2008), 81-110.

Digital History Project

The Mexican Restaurants of New York City, created with Fernando Amador II and Ximena López Carrillo, <https://storymaps.arcgis.com/stories/5d130c3dc16b4a86a5066c36b3b72b16>.

Special Journal Issues

Co-Editor with Allyson P. Brantley, *Night Work Across Time and Place*, special issue of *International Labor and Working Class History* (expected Fall 2024).

Co-Editor with Aaron Benanav, *Workers and Obsolescence*, special issue of *International Labor and Working Class History* Vol. 102 (Fall 2022).

Book Chapter

“Anything But Vacationland: Latino Egg, Blueberry, and Seafood Workers in Maine” in *Culinary Mestizaje: Racial Mixing, Migration, and Foodways in the U.S.*, ed. by Felipe Hinojosa and Rudy Guevarra, Jr. (University of Texas Press, 2023).

Essays in Edited Volumes

“The United Farm Workers Union and the Use of the Boycott Against American Agribusiness, 1965-1970” in *Boycotts Past and Present: From the American Revolution to the Campaign to Boycott Israel* (Palgrave, 2019).

Introduction, “The Future of Chicana Studies,” *Journal of Feminist Scholarship* Issue 11 (Fall 2016).

Encyclopedia Entry

“Latino Food Workers in the U.S., 1880-2020,” *The Oxford Research Encyclopedia for American History* (Fall 2020).

Recent Book Reviews

“People in Cold Storage: The Cruel Limbos of Historical and Current Detainees in the United States,” Review of Elliott Young, *Forever Prisoners: How the United States Made the World’s Largest Immigration Detention System* for *Reviews in American History* Vol. 50 No. 2 (June 2022), 217-225.

Review, Eduardo Contreras, *Latinos and the Liberal City* for *Journal of American Studies* Vol. 55, No. 2 (2021), 508-509.

Review, Julie C. Keller, *Milking in the Shadows: Migrants and Mobility in America’s Dairyland* for

H-Environment (July 2021), <https://www.h-net.org/reviews/showrev.php?id=56358>.

Review, Andrew K. Sandoval-Strausz, *Barrio America: How Latino Immigrants Saved the American City* for *Journal of Social History* Vol. 54 No. 4 (Summer 2021), 1276-1278.

Review, Ismael García-Colón, *Colonial Migrants at the Heart of Empire: Puerto Rican Workers on U.S. Farms* for *Journal of American Ethnic History* Vol. 40 No. 3 (Spring 2021), 116-118.

Review, Gabriela Gonzalez, *Redeeming La Raza: Transborder Modernity, Race, Respectability, and Rights* for *The English Historical Review* Vol. 136 Issue 579 (February 2021), 226-228.

Review, Jesse Hoffnung-Garskof, *Racial Migrations: New York City and the Revolutionary Politics of the Spanish Caribbean* for *Labor: Studies in Working Class History* Vol. 18 No. 1 (February 2021), 117-119.

Review, Susan L. Marquis, *I Am Not a Tractor! How Florida Farmworkers Took on the Fast Food Giants and Won* for *Labor: Studies in Working Class History* Vol. 16 No. 2 (Summer 2019), 156-157.

Review, Jerry Garcia, ed. *We Are Aztlán! Chicanx Histories in the Northern Borderlands* for *Pacific Historical Review* Vol. 87 No. 4 (Fall 2018), 748-49.

Review, Karen R. Roybal, *Archives of Dispossession: Recovering the Testimonios of Mexican American Herederos, 1848 1960* for *Journal of American History* Vol. 105 No. 2 (September 2018), 401-402.

*Also a reviewer for *Southern California Quarterly*, *Agricultural History*, *Western Historical Quarterly*, *BOOM*, and *Latino Studies*

Other Publications

“The History of Mexican Food in New York,” The Gotham Center for New York City History blog, 1 July 2021, <https://www.gothamcenter.org/blog/the-history-of-mexican-food-in-new-york>.

“Farmworkers Are Essential, But Their Rights Don’t Reflect That,” *Food52*, 17 April 2020, <https://food52.com/blog/25215-farmworkers-rights-during-coronavirus>.

“How the United Farm Workers Can Regain Their Influence,” *The Washington Post*, 15 September 2018, <https://www.washingtonpost.com/amphhtml/outlook/2018/09/16/how-united-farm-workers-can-regain-their-influence/>.

“Dutch Plan to Target Youth in Designer Clothes Dangerous Throwback to the Persecution of Zoot Suiters,” *Public Seminar*, 1 February 2018, <http://www.publicseminar.org/2018/02/dutch-plan-to-target-youth-in-designer-clothes/>.

“Our Thanksgiving Meals Are Eaten, But the Fight for Farm Workers’ Rights Is Still On the Table,” Immigration and Ethnic History Society blog, 1 December 2017, <https://iehs.org/lflores-thanksgiving-meals-eaten-fight-for-farm-workers-rights/>.

“Legal Loopholes Put Lives of Migrant Workers at Risk,” Op-Ed, *Detroit Free Press*, 15 November 2015, <http://www.freep.com/story/opinion/contributors/2015/11/14/migrant-farmworker-transportation-michigan/75754982/>.

SELECTED INVITED TALKS

“Lovelessness in the Food World: How We Treat U.S. Food Workers and Trendy Eating Experiences,” Latin

American & Caribbean Studies Program, Hofstra University, 8 November 2023.

“Knowing Your Worth: How to Approach Negotiations in Academia,” webinar with Jocelyn Olcott for the National Center for Faculty Development and Diversity (NCFDD), 2 November 2023.

Invited Responder/Commentator to the 22nd Annual Sherman Emerging Scholar Lecture, “An Immigrant Invasion? The Roots of Modern Nativism and the Struggle for Immigrants’ Rights” (given by Prof. Eladio Bobadilla), UNC-Wilmington, 19 October 2023.

“Wreathed in Worry and Pining for Protection: Latino Pineros and Historical Traumas in Maine,” Pembroke Historical Society of Maine, 6 October 2023.

OAH Distinguished Lecture/class appearance for “Huelga! The Farmworker Movement in the United States” (Prof. Amy C. Offner), University of Pennsylvania, 14 September 2023.

“Hungry Hearts: Food Justice Fights in Upstate New York, Then and Now,” Colgate University, 10 November 2022.

“Starved for Respect: The Many Hungers of Latinx Food Workers,” Latinx History Symposium, Columbia University, 22 April 2022.

Invited Speaker, Mellon Mays Undergraduate Fellows Program, California State University-Long Beach, 8 April 2022.

Invited Panelist, “Embodied Research: Chronicling the Nation’s Consumptive Obsessions,” Feminist History Conference in Honor of Estelle B. Freedman, Stanford University, 12 March 2022.

“Food Insecurities and Traumas of Latinx Workers, Past and Present,” Memorial Sloan Kettering’s Immigrant Health and Cancer Disparities (IHCD) Health Equity Seminar, 9 March 2022.

“Writing Food Labor History,” class appearance for Prof. Megan J. Elias, Boston University Gastronomy Program, 16 March 2021.

“COVID-19’s Impact on Migrant Food Workers,” Labor Studies Program and Latin American & Caribbean Studies Program, Hofstra University, 10 March 2021.

Invited Lecturer, NEH Seminar “Energizing Humanities in California’s San Joaquin Valley,” Bakersfield College, 20-21 February 2020.

“Hidden In the Blue: The Lesser Known Lives of Latinx Seafood Workers,” The Latinx Project Lecture Series, New York University, 19 November 2019.

“Starved for Respect: The Many Hungers of Food Workers,” Carlos H. Cantu Endowed Latinx Lecture Series, Texas A&M University-College Station, 14 November 2019.

“Laboring and Dying in the Understory: Latino Workers and Invisibility in the Forests of the Far Northeast,” Hispanic Heritage Month Lecture, American International College, Springfield, Massachusetts, 17 September 2019.

“The Multiple Mexicos of Manhattan: The Impact of Chef Zarela Martinez on the Latino Foodscape of New York City, 1983 to the Present,” Writing History Workshop, Columbia University, 12 April 2019.

Panelist, “Dreaming, Occupying, Enduring,” Worker Writers School Assembly (sponsored by PEN America),

New York City, 10 November 2018.

Invited Presenter, Agrarian Studies Colloquium, Yale University, 2 November 2018.

Invited Panelist, “Latino-Phobia: Perspectives on Anti-Latinx Discrimination in American Life,” Stanford University, April 2018.

Keynote Speaker, “Bittersweet Harvest” Traveling Exhibit, Holocaust Museum Houston, 16 February 2017.

“Beyond Migrant Workers: Mexicans in the U.S.,” guest lecture for NEH *Conexiones* Program, Reading Area Community College, Pennsylvania, January 2017.

Panelist, “The Hands That Feed: California Farmworkers, Past and Present,” Oakland Book Festival, 22 May 2016.

Inaugural Speaker, Cesar Chavez Commemoration, Ohio State University, 31 March 2016.

“The Role of Women in the U.S. Farmworker Justice Movement,” Women’s History Month Lecture, St. John’s University, 9 February 2015.

“The Bracero Program,” Metropolitan Expeditionary Learning School, Queens, New York, 9 January 2015.

“Latino Immigration Since The Great Depression,” Guest lecture, NEH *Bridging Histories* Program, CUNY Graduate Center, 25 April 2014.

SELECTED CONFERENCES

Moderator, “The Latinx South: New Directions and State of the Field,” Organization of American Historians Conference, New Orleans, April 2024.

Co-Chair and Commentator, “Workers and Obsolescence: Histories of Technology, Labor, and Workplace Struggle,” American Historians Association, San Francisco, 6 January 2024.

Invited Roundtable Participant, “Can We *Know* Food Without Knowing *Food Workers*?” Agriculture, Food, and Human Values Society Conference, Boston, 1 June 2023.

“Documenting Latinx Presence, Labor, and Creativity Through Food Mapping,” Latinx Studies in the UK Conference, University of Leicester, 21 April 2023.

Invited Moderator, “Picketing the Frontier,” Presidential Plenary, Western History Association Conference, San Antonio, TX, October 2022.

Session Co-Leader, “Tortillas and Texas Foodways,” Western History Association Conference, San Antonio, October 2022.

Panelist, “Culinary Mestizajes,” Western History Association Conference, San Antonio, October 2022.

Roundtable Participant, “Into the Fields: Histories of Farmwork Across Generations,” Organization of American Historians Conference, Boston, April 2022.

Chair and Comment, “New Directions in Labor and Healthcare: Ethnic Mexican Struggles for Rights in the 20th Century,” American Historical Association Conference (virtual), February 2022.

Moderator, “Latina Activisms and Latina Biographies,” Organization of American Historians Conference,

(virtual), 17 April 2021.

Chair, “Foodways in the American West,” Western History Association Conference (virtual), October 2020.

Chair and Comment, “Hidden in the Fields: Untold Histories of Agricultural Labor in the West and Beyond,” Western History Association Conference, Las Vegas, 19 October 2019.

“The ‘Hot Tamale’ Who Changed the Mexican Foodscape of Manhattan: The Transnational Life, Career, and Freedoms of Chef Zarela Martinez,” Organization of American Historians Conference, Philadelphia, 5 April 2019.

“Latino Agricultural Labor and Activism in Maine, 1990 to 2005,” Western History Association Conference, San Antonio, 19 October 2018.

“The Laboring and Activist Experiences of Latino Farmworkers and Maritime Workers in Maine,” European Social Science History Conference, Belfast, Ireland, April 2018.

“The Multiple Mexicos of Manhattan: The Impact of Chef Zarela Martinez on the Latino Foodscape of New York City, 1983 to the Present,” International Conference on Food Studies, Rome, Italy, October 2017.

Roundtable Participant, “California Farm Labor History Beyond Cesar Chavez,” Organization of American Historians Meeting, New Orleans, April 2017.

Panelist, “Writing Emotions in Historical Scholarship,” Pacific Coast Branch of the American Historical Association Meeting, Waikoloa, Hawai’i, 6 August 2016.

“Desired as Labor But Not as Neighbors: Mexican Bracero Guestworkers and Socio-Sexual Quarantine in California, 1942-1964,” Quarantine: History, Heritage, Place Conference, University of Sydney, Australia, August 2014.

“A Blossoming of Red Flags: Cesar Chávez and the United Farm Workers’ Lettuce Boycott in California,” Boycotts: Past and Present Conference, Birkbeck College, University of London, 20 June 2013.

TEACHING

Undergraduate - Lecture

The History of Latinos in the U.S.
Immigration in American History
The History of the U.S. Working Class
U.S. History Since 1877
The U.S. West

Undergraduate - Seminar

Latino New York
The U.S.-Mexico Border
Food, Race, and Migration
The History of Childhood
Central Americans in the U.S. (in development)

Graduate

Global Borderlands
Readings in Latinx History
Core Colloquium in History
U.S. History Since the Civil War
Dissertation Prospectus
Teaching Practicum
Oral History: Ethics and Craft

DEPARTMENTAL SERVICE

2023-2024

Search Committee Member, Latin American Indigenous Peoples/African Diaspora

2023-2024	Member, Undergraduate Committee
2023, 2019	Co-Coordinator, History Undergraduate Research Symposium
2021-23	Member, DEI Committee (Chair 2022-23)
2022	Organizer, “Publishing in Academic Presses” Q&A event with Debbie Gershenowitz, Acquisitions Editor, UNC Press
2021	Search Committee Member, Global South (Africa-Asia-Middle East)
2019-20	Chair, Departmental Climate Committee
2018-2021	Organizer, Second Book Writing Group
2016-19, 2013	Member, Graduate Committee
2016-2017	Search Committee Member, Gardiner Chair in American History
2012, 2016, 2017	Invited Speaker for Graduate Students, “Navigating the Academic Job Market”

Dissertation Committee Member for:

- Ximena López-Carrillo, “Chicano Activism, Professional Democratization, and the Community Mental Health Movement in Texas, 1954-1978” (defended 2022; job placement at Yale University)
- Gregory Lella (chair/advisor), “Fear in the Desert: Police Violence, Deportation, and Resistance in the Arizona Borderlands, 1976 to the Present” (defended 2022; job placement at Northern Arizona University)
- Matías Hermosilla, “Creating a Playlist for the Third World: Cosmopolitan Solidarity, The New Left, and the Global Protest Song Movement, 1955–1975” (defended 2022, on job market in U.S. and Latin America)
- Yalile Suriel, “Campus Eyes: University Surveillance and the Policing of Black and Brown Student Activism in the Age of Mass Incarceration, 1960-1990” (defended 2021; job placement at University of Minnesota)
- Fernando Amador, “Children of the Land: Identity, Landscape & Migrations from Rural Mexico” (in process, defending Spring 2023)
- Zinnia Capo-Valdivia, “Education to Deter Vice: From the Classroom to Public Opinion, Mexico 1889-1934” (in process)
- Liliana Mutu-Blackstone, “The Ambivalence of Modern Identity: Romanians in the Global Laboratory of Erudition, 1859-1918” (in process)
- José M. Baeza-Zúñiga, “‘So, Where are you From?’ The Routes of the African Diaspora Across Revolutionary and Dictatorial Chile, 1960-1990” (in process)

RECENT UNIVERSITY SERVICE

2022-2025	Director, Latin American, Latinx & Caribbean Studies Center/Program (LACS)
March 2023	Organizer, Sir Run Run Shaw Lecture (Paola Velez, Co-founder of Bakers Against Racism)
December 2022	Invited Moderator, <i>Solito</i> , Discussion with Author Javier Zamora, Center for Changing Systems of Power

November 2022	“Publishing Your First Academic Article,” Department of Hispanic Languages & Literatures
October 2022	Presenter, “Who Was Cesar Chavez?” Chavez Residence Hall
October 2022	Panel Moderator, <i>Deported: A Family Divided</i> exhibit, Melville Library
Fall 2021	Panel Moderator, <i>Dos Mundos: (Re)Constructing Narratives</i> artist panel, Paul W. Zuccaire Gallery
Fall 2021	Panelist, “Teaching About Race: Breaking Through the Misconceptions About Critical Race Theory, Inclusion, and Diversity in the Classroom,” Humanities Institute
May 2021	Speaker, Anti-Asian Violence Panel, Department of Asian and Asian American Studies
2016-Present	Member, Latin American & Caribbean Studies (LACS) Advisory Board
2019-2021	Member, Turner Fellowship Committee
2016-2020	Co-Organizer, Initiative for the Historical Social Sciences (IHSS) Workshop Series
2021, 2019, 2015	Member, Sanchez Undergraduate Scholarship Committee
Fall 2019	Commentator, <i>Detain and Deport</i> book talk by Prof. Nancy Hiemstra, Department of Women’s, Gender, and Sexuality Studies
Fall 2019	Commentator, “Archival Truths” Conference, Department of Hispanic Languages & Literatures
2015 - 2019	Steering Committee Member, Center for the Study of Inequality, Social Justice, and Policy
Spring 2018	Judge, Three-Minute Thesis Competition
2017	Speaker, University Teach-Ins: DACA / Immigration, Labor, and the New Deportation / The Refugee Ban
Spring 2017	Keynote Speaker, Latinas En Acción 2017 SEPA Mujer Conference
Spring 2017	Member, Postdoctoral Program Subcommittee for the University Strategic Plan

SERVICE TO THE PROFESSION

Editorial Role

2021 - present	Co-Editor, University of North Carolina Press, <i>Latinx Histories</i> Book Series
2019-2024	Editorial Board Member, <i>International Labor and Working Class History</i>
2019-2022	Editorial Board Member, <i>Journal of American History</i>
2018 - present	Editorial Board Member, <i>Reviews in American History</i>

Reviewer Role

Fall 2023	Application Reviewer, National Humanities Center
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Summer 2023 Application Reviewer, Bellagio Center Residency, Rockefeller Foundation

2022 Application Reviewer, Russell Sage Foundation

2021 Curriculum Content Reviewer, Humanities Texas (NEH)

2017 NEH Panel Reviewer

2011 - Present Manuscript Reviewer for:
University of North Carolina Press; Johns Hopkins University Press; University of Pennsylvania Press; Stanford University Press; University of Arizona Press; *Journal of American History*; *Food, Culture & Society*; *Pacific Historical Review*; *Americas*; *Women's History Review*; *Western Historical Quarterly*; *Labor*; *Oxford Research Encyclopedia of American History*; *Law & Social Inquiry*; and *BOOM*

Conference Programming

2018-20 Program Committee Co-Chair, Western History Association (WHA)

2018, 2016 Program Committee Member, Working Class Studies Association

2013-2014 Program Committee Member, Western History Association (WHA)

Prize Committee Member

2016-2019 Ida B. Wells Dissertation Award, Coordinating Council for Women in History (Chair 2018-19)

2014-2017 Judith Lee Ridge Article Prize, Western Association of Women Historians (Chair 2016-17)

2013-2016 Nupur Chaudhuri First Article Award Committee, Coordinating Council for Women in History (Chair 2015-16)

Other Advisory Role

2017-2020 Steering Committee Member, Coalition for Western Women's History

SELECT MEDIA APPEARANCES

Featured Guest, "How Mexican Food Migrated to the Northeast," *Cooking in Mexican From A to Z* podcast, 16 November 2022.

Featured Guest, "Lori Flores Breaks Down Latinx Food and Drink Labor in the United States," *Boss Barista* podcast, 9 August 2022.

Interviewee, "United Farm Workers: The Once Politically Powerful Union is Struggling," NPR, 25 January 2022.

Interviewee, "'Everyone Is Tired of Always Staying Silent': Inside a Worker Rebellion in the Central Valley," *Mother Jones* (January/February 2021).

Featured Subject, "The Big 'Spicy' Apple: What if New York Were a Taco?" *Al Día*, 21 September 2020.

Featured Subject, "Historians Map the Glorious Rise of Mexican Food in New York City," *Eater NY*, 9

September 2020.

Featured Guest, *Meant to Be Eaten* podcast, Heritage Radio Network, May 2020.

Interviewee, “Oprah’s New Book Club Pick [American Dirt] Is Fueling a Debate,” CNN, 24 January 2020.

Interviewee, “When the US Government Tried to Replace Migrant Farmworkers with High Schoolers,” NPR, 23 August 2018.

Host, *New Books in Latino Studies* podcast, New Books Network, 2015-2018.

Featured Speaker, “Chicano Authors Discuss Their Books,” C-SPAN, 26 February 2016.

Featured Guest, “The Farm Report” podcast, Heritage Radio Network, 14 January 2016.

SELECTED HONORS/AWARDS

2023-26	Organization of American Historians (OAH) Distinguished Lecturer
2020-21	Visiting Scholar-in-Residence, Russell Sage Foundation
2020	Smithsonian Institution Senior Fellowship, National Museum of American History (cancelled due to COVID-19)
2019	Stony Brook Humanities Institute Faculty Fellowship (declined for Russell Sage)
2019	Academic Writing Fellow, Rockefeller Foundation Bellagio Center, Italy
2019, 2013	FAHSS Research Grant, Stony Brook University
2019, 2013	Sam Fishman Travel Grant Award, Walter P. Reuther Library, Wayne State University
2018	Stony Brook Faculty Excellence in Outreach Award
2018	Winner, Martin Ridge Book Award, Historical Society of Southern California
2017	Faculty Recognition Award, Hispanic Heritage Month, Stony Brook University
2017	Inaugural Writer-in-Residence, Glynwood Farm, Cold Spring, New York
2017	Finalist, Weber-Clements Book Prize, Western History Association
2017	Winner, Best First Book, Immigration and Ethnic History Society
2017	Faculty Award for Excellence, Stony Brook Center for Inclusive Education
2016	Winner, Best History Book, International Latino Book Awards
2016	Honorable Mention, Gita Chaudhuri Book Prize
2014	Andrew W. Mellon Short-Term Fellowship, Huntington Library
2014	Archibald Hanna Fellowship, Beinecke Library, Yale University
2014	Judith Lee Ridge Article Prize, Western Association of Women Historians
2012-2015	Faculty Diversity Program Fellowship, State University of New York
2012, 2011	Faculty Class and Research Development Awards, Bowdoin College
2010-2011	Geballe Dissertation Prize Fellow, Stanford University Humanities Center
2010	Jensen-Miller Article Prize, Western History Association
2010	Centennial Teaching Award, Stanford University
2009	W. Turrentine Jackson Article Prize
2009	Haynes Foundation Fellowship, Huntington Library